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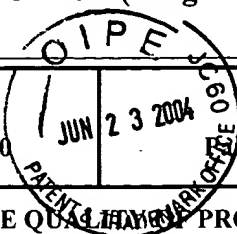

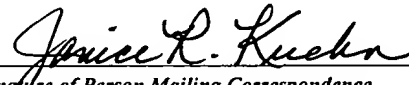
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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)</b>				Docket No. FGT-11402/44	
Applicant(s): Brendan Solan et al.					
Serial No. 09/706,063	Filing Date November 3, 2000		Examiner Paul L. Rodriguez	Group Art Unit 2125	
Invention: METHOD FOR MAINTAINING THE QUALITY OF PRODUCED PRODUCTS					
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